

Up-grading the Taluk Hospitals

SRI M.Y. PATIL (Afzalpur).—

6 (17) Will the Ministers for Health and Family Welfare be pleased to state :—

(a) Whether Government has got any proposals for upgrading Taluka Hospitals;

(b) If so, when the Afzalpur Taluka Hospital will be upgraded;

(c) Whether there is a proposal for installing X-Ray Plant in Taluka Hospital of Afzalpur?

SRI M. Mallappa (Minister for Health and Family Welfare).—

(a) Yes, on phased basis subject to resources.

(b) No definite date can be given.

(c) Will be examined.

Sanatoriums in the State

SRI M.Y. PATIL (Afzalpur).—

7 (18) Will the Minister for Health and Family Welfare be pleased to State :—

(a) the number of Sanatoriums in the State.

(b) whether there is any proposal for establishing a sanatorium at Gulbarga, to facilitate the backward people of Hyderabad Karnataka area.

(c) If so, when it would be established?

SRI M. MALLAPPA (Minister for Health and Family Welfare).—

(a) There are 9 Sanatorium and one T. B. Hospital in the State. (Statement enclosed)

(b) There is no such proposals for establishing a Sanatorium at Gulbarga, at present and if proposals are received it will be examined by Government.

(c) Does not arise.